A THE WOOD IS NOT THE WOOD IN VOLUME 5 DAILY STANDARD. New Advertisements DECOSMOS & LONG. IN THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY. TOPRIC BROPRIETORS. SESSION 1872, 1873. City of Victoria, Water. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVAN THAT appplication is intended to be made to the Legislative Assembly during the next ensuing assembly for legislative Assembly during the next ensuing assembly for legislative for leg .alweekly STANDARD.

will incorporate with steels all or some of the provisions of The 'ancouver Island Land Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1883.

And notice is hereby further given that plans and sections of the said proposed works, and the lands is or through which the same are intended to be made, or which may be taken for the purposes aforesand, together with a beak of reference to such plans; and, also, a cepy of this notice as putnished in the B. C. "Gagette," will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th day of November next, with the Clerk et the Bench in the Lity of Victoria, at his office at Rastion street, is the said 'ity, and 'hat a copy of so much of the said plans, sections, and book of ref rence as rathes to each District in or through which the works are proposed to be made or maintained; and, also, a copy of this notice as published in the "Gagette" "li be deposited for public inspection on or before the said 30th day of November next, at the public acnol houses in a dor each district, DRAKE & JACKSO",

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Miscellaneous Advertisements. JOSEPH W. TRUTCH,

CANADA. PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the faith, &c., To all to whom those presents shall con

A PROCLAMATION. J. F. McChriour, WHEREAS under Attorney General. And by virtue of "The Breeding Stock Act, 1872," the Lieutepant-Governor in Council is empowered to divide the Province into Districts, for the purposes of the waid Act;

And whereas it is provided that the waid Act shall not apply to Act shall not apply to any District, unless upon an application being made to the Leuenant Governor in Council, as therein men-And whereas such application has been made by the Settlers of Lulu Island, that the same may be created a District, under and subject to the provisions of the said Act; NOW KNOW YE, that by virtue and authority contained is "The Breeding Stock Act, 1872." the Lieutenant Governor directs that Lulu Island shall be a District for the purposes of the said Act; and the Lieutenout-Governor hereby declares that the said District shall be subject to the provisions of the said Act during each and every month of the

said Act during each and every month of the IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of our said Province to be hereunto affixed: Witness, the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH.

Lieutenant Governor of thur said Pro-vince of British Columbia, in our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Twenty-fifth day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy two, and in the thirty-sixth year of Our Reign, By Command.

A. ROCKE ROBERTSON.

Provincial Secretary

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that His Excellency the Governor-General in Council has been pleased, by and with the advice of his Privy Council to withhold his assent to the following Bills, intituled re-"An Act to impse a Tax on Wild Lands;"
"An Act to amend The Military and Naval

Settlers Act, 1863 ?" By Lommand. A. ROCKE ROBERTSON. Provincial Secretay.

NOTICE. THE BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMspecially lodged, Interest at the following

4 per cent. per Annum Subject to 15 days notice of withdrawal. 5 per cent. per Annum subject to 30

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HENRY A TUZO, Manager. Victoria, 1st October, 1872.

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WHISKEY. Deed bearing state the 16th day of November, 1872 and made between Gideor Corsy Gerow and Asron Johnson of Victoria, Province of British folumbia, I tely trading as Expression in derithe name of Gerow & Johnson of the first part, and William Parsons Sayward of the City of Victoria aforessid of the second part and the several creditors of the said Gerow & Johnson of the third part. The said parties of the first pert assigned to the said William Parsons Sayward all the real and personal estaye, property, credits and effects for the benefit of the creditors of the said Gideon Corey Gerow and Asron Johnson excepting as therein mentioned. The said deed was brought into this office for registration on Monday the 18th day of November, 187, at the hour of 24th P.M., and was duly registered according to the provisions of the Bankruptey Act, 1862.

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DEED bearing date the 24th day of October A.
D., 1872, and made between kobert Watson of the Town of thirton of the first part and Altred Fellows and James Burns both of the City of Victoria of the second part, grants and assigns in manner therein mentioned, all the E-tate and effects for the benefit of the Creditors of the said Robert Watson except as therein mentioned. The execution of the said deed was attested by Edwin Johnson, colicitor, Victoria. The said deed was deposited in the office of the Registerar, Supreme Court for Registration on Thursday, 31st day of October, 1872, at 1130 A.M., and was duly Registered by me seconding to the provisions of the Sankruptor Act, 1821.

CHAS. B. POOLEY.

Deptur Registrar B. C.

Supreme Court, Registers 2 Office.

Notice. Saw Mill Company and of Dickery, Compiled & Company will be conducted in future by J. A Raymur or in his absence by E-mund. Hund, at Masser. Dickery, Compiled & Co. J. A. RATMUR, I.I.

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Notice is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to the Legislative Assembly during the next ensuing season for leave to bring is a Bill for the purpose of enabling the Municipal Council of the Gits of Victoria to construct and maintain Words for supplying the City and District of Victoria with water, and to construct and maintain reservoirs, slutice, ditches, drains, conduits, embaukments; pumpy, attended and other engines, necessary for the purpose of bringing pure water from Ets Lake to Victoria, with power to make deviation and to take water from Prospect lake, Beaver Lake, Evan Lake, and Cedar Hul Lake, or any of them, and to make all necessary works for men push one, and to cross, break open, alter, divert, or stop, as any road streets, public places, bridges, works, pipes, sewers, drains, streams, and water-courses, and to purchase by con pulsion or other wine any lands, house and And for the purpose of enabling the said Corporation to raise money by issuing debentures and levying rates, for the purpose of the purpose and having the said Corporation.

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Monday, December 16, 1872 The Ministry. To-morrow afternoon Her Majesty's wat Parliament of British Columbia will be convened for "the dispatch of busicess, to treat, do, act, and conclude upon those things which may, by the favor of God, be ordained." We understand that Sewing Machines the speech from the Throne will be s more than ordinarily interesting State document-replete with promises of good things to come, if the Legislature will only allow the Government time to carry their plane into execution. Not a single wholesome suggestion that has been made by the Opposition during the recome for the better government of the country, but is to be turned to account and made to figure in His Excellency's opening speech. The object will be, in thue appropriating other men's ideas, to year; and by a policy of either real or pretended concession to public opinion, seek to strengthen their position in the House, and before the constituencies. That policy, should it be attempted this did last year. Ministers at that time had no official record to fall back upon, entitling them to public support and con-dence, nor to which the Opposition could point in justification of a vote of want of confidence in them, had they felt disposed to force such an issue; and lence it was deemed by the House pot ealy just to the Government, but to the interest of the public, that they should be given a fair trial, and that if judged at all it should be upon their own merits as an Administration. In the pursuance of this course, we think the Opposition acted wisely, for had they condemned the Ministry without a trial, the chances are that public opinion would have disapproved the action. Now, however, the Ministry have been fairly tried, and when CARPET SLIPPERS. the House meets it will be a duty that each individual member owes to his con-stituents to say, by the course he may MEN'S HEAVY WINTER UNDERCLOTHeach individual member owes to his conparsue, whether the Government has or pursue, whether the Government has or has not so managed public affairs as to merit the continuance of his support. From the day the analysis of the support. From the day the analysis of the support. port. From the day the nouncement was first made that the Governor had been pleased to WARE, CUT GLASS DECAN WALL PAPER, STOVE PIPING, Government, and that that gentlemen had been pleased to call to his assistance Messrs. Robertson and Walkem, we have not ceased to give them what we conceived to be a dignified opposition. In calling to his counsels a body of men who had uniformly been opposed to the principles and practice of responsible government, we conceived Governor Tratch had made a mistake-had been guilty of one of those official blunders which admitted of no justification. It was a deliberate insult offered to the Liberal party, which could be neither render of the country's political interests into the hands of the country's political enemies, and but one result could be looked for, and that was the utter failtre of those principles for which the Liberal party had for years contended were what were best suited to ensure the development of the country's resources and the happiness and contentment of the people. We ask, in all candor, have the acts of the present Administration been of a character to entitle them to the of the House? Did they last year initiate a single measure of sufficient public importance to merit the character of an act of sound statesmanship? All their leading measures were appropriated by albeit many of them were in principle as epposed to the wishes and sympathies of the Governor and his Administration almost as the poles are widely asunder; but they knew that their salvation as a Ministry depended upon the pursuance of that course, and they wisely concluded to bow to the inevitable. The report of the Civil List Act was simply a concession to public opinion, not the result of an bonest conviction that it was right; nor have the people reaped any substantial advantage from that act of the Government. The country is no more economically governed now than it has ever been; in fact, the burden of the Civil List has been increased instead of decreased. Offices have been created all over the country with liberal salaries attached bereto, that could well have been dispensed with, and the public monies thus swallowed up have been turned to better Naworth & Princess Royal account in opening up roads and con-structing bridges for the convenience of settlers. Monies that were voted by the House for public improvements, have in many instances been unexpended, nor n cases where monies have been laid out has that measure of economy been displayed that should have characterized cent date and beathe operations of the Government. The Gilt and Maple. Ministry may plead inexperience in the conduct of public affairs, as an excuse for the recklessness which has marked their course in the past; and they are not un-likely entitled to the full benefit of such an excuse; but while the House may feel disposed to look upon their shortcomings with a lenient eye, and attribute them to the head instead of the heart, they will nevertheless feel indisposed to entrust the reins of power to a body of men, however good their intentions may be, whose past record proves their incapability to conduct the affairs of the apability to conduct the affairs of the country creditably to themselves or adsantageously to the community. If public opinion is to be relied upon, the feeling is decidedly in favor of a change of Administration. The temper of the House also points, we believe, in that direction. Who will succeed them, is the country are prepared even to sug-Government Street, Victoria, 30th November, 1872, vancouver Street, near the Angela College.

Connected with the Legislature quite competent to fill their places; but whether, having taken office and assumed its responsibilities, they will give any better the same to A. W. Piper, who is authorized to college the Residents of this School, we developed, and all those indebted to said asster will say the 10th Recember, at 950 A. R., and will residents of this school district at the school district at th

at leave the future to determine,

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Have just received by "PRINCE ALFRED" Steamer, a large assortment of the above, which comprise: HYACINTHS, double and single for Glasses and Bedding-out

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Muscatel, Sultana and Elme Raisins, Candied Peel, Turkey Figs, French Plums,

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Best brauds of Teas and Sugars, 1016 As for MY COFFEE, it speaks for tself. Everybody asks for it. J. PINLATEOR.

Raffle for Gold Watch ATH. FORMAN, SMORCHARTS' Ex-change, on Christmas Evo., at \$ o'clock, a splendid Goid English Hunting Watch will be said. A few chances only left. Tickets, \$1 each. Municipal Notice.

N PURSUANCE of the provisions of The Victor Foot Path By Law, 1809, and the Amendal Victoria Foot Path By Law, 1871; Sealed Tondowill be received at the Cierk's Office, Broad street, as Wednesday the 18th inst., at 4 c'clock F. H., for construction of a new 6 foot sidewalk frenting Lets Market Street.

Conneil Chambers, 12th December, 1872.

New Cigar Stand.

THOMAS McGLASHAN BEGS TO INFORM THE PUBLIC OF oderate prices.
A trial is respectfully Solicited.

NOTICE

French Benevolent Society.

DR. POWELL having resigned as physical of the Freuch Benevolent Society, members are informed that Dr. Ash has been appointed his successor, and will be found at his residence, Fort Street, from to 12 A. M., and from 7 to 9 P. M. for free consultation.

By order of the Committee,

N. CAMSUSA. Steamer Enterprise Winter

Arrangement. DURING THE WONTER Most
the Enterprise will leave the Hands
Bay Co. a wharf on Wednesdays, at 7% o'clock A. M.,
and will leave New Westminster on Thursdays at 7%
o'clock A. N.

NEW BOOT & SHOE SHOP pectfully informs his old customers that

Custom-made Boot & Show TATES STREET, TO GOOD STATE STAT in the premises recently occupied by Mr. Watson,

GOVERNMENT &YATES STREETS BOOTS AND SHOES

REPAIRING DONE OVE FRANK BEEGAN.

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MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE

(Under Odd Fellows' Hall.) A RAFFLE Also, a Beautiful Japanese Cabinet [e gen]; gone The Best of Wines & Spirits for the Holidays.

H. FORMAN, Proprietor.

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Yats, Dec. 15—Last evening at 9:43 an earthquake presented itself in rather an of 125 lbs. it stood a water pressure of 188lbs recently in force.

trip or two to take on board for Victoria the mea and stores of both camps. The Douging down upon the new fallen snow, rendered the arrived at the depot of Gamsby's party on the night one of the lovliest of the season. the arrived at the depot of Gamsby's party on Thursday last; Mr. Smith and the gentleman who accompanied him, landed, when it was found that further time would be required to finish the survey—probably two weeks. Michaud's—Y party—will be hard. weeks Michaud's-Y party-will be here the river is filling rapidly with ice since probably by next Douglas, from Comex; X morning. corps remaining to close the work. The for-mer was running a line from Seymour Nar-of earthquake were felt here last night rows to meet the latter corps, who were sur- the first and strongest one commenced veying from an opposite direction.

NANAIMO SHIPPING .- Three steamers arrived in this port on Saturday from Nanaimo and East Coast settlements,-the Grappler, the Emma, and the Douglas. The Victor, coal round here. The shocks threw down several Saturday. She took in 1,000 tons at the Indians left their houses and took to Douglas pit, and was but 31 days filling up.
The Puget Sound tug Mastick has been waiting for several days to tow her out. The same tug fetched over on Theader less from same tug fetched over on Tuesday last from Puget Sound, the bark Constitution, to load coal at Departure Bay for Sau Francisco Bark Union, laden at the Newcastle quarry who were asleep, and persons who were with flagstones for San Francisco, arrived off standing were staggered almost off their feet. Victoria barbor on Saturday. She was sewed down by the Grappler.

SUPPEN DEATH IN A SALOON .- On Saturday night, at about eight o'clock, death was seen is one of its numerous and extraordinary forms in the Adelphi Saloon. A man named Giovanni Zanoli, clius Captain John, fell dead whilst witnessing the game of rondeau. Whether from the state of his system or from some other cause, he fell heavily upon the floor, and upon examination was found to be dead. No doubt death was instantaneous, and it is surmised that at the inquest to be held discovered that the deceased was suffering and was succeeded by a loud rumbling noise. from beart disease. Zanoli had been en gaged in a seafaring life and had recently een running the schooner Carolena.

Tan Island Sunvey .- Mr. Marcus Smith, Mr. McLennan, of the commissariat, and a party of Indian packers are about to go over the route of the Island section of the Canadian Pacific line. On the return of the Douglas from Bute Inlet, she called on Friday at Comox and landed Mr. Smith, who would immediately organize his corps. It is already understood that the country through and other points south. moment, and Mr. Smith will merely make a superficial examination.

CRRISTMAS !- It is scarce'y necessary for us as enumerate the variety of articles upon ex-hibition at T. N. Hibben & Co.'s, Govern-as if he had been shot. Your corresmest street, in anticipation of the approach- pondent, knowing such to be talse, feels ing bolidays. There must be a concession in the minds of every resident here, for the easion has never been slighted by us. We are justified in saying, that if one season has excelled another in a tempting array of Christmas-boxes, the present one will eclipse them all in variety, beauty, and attractive-

DEPARTURES. - The steamer California which arrived here from Portland, via Puget Sound, on Saturday morning at eight o'clock. left yesterday at daybreak for Bellingham Bay, to load stone for Portland. Passengers from Victoria will connect at Puget Sound. The steamer Maude made ber usual trip up Manaimo on Saturday, leaving at seven clock in the morning.

SHOCK OF EARTHQUAKE .- A strong shock of earthquake, lasting a few seconds, was felt past aine o'clock on Saturday night. It was felt on the Mainland also. Despatches are received in town from Washington Territory and the Mainland of British Columbia, stating that the vibrations were very marked, and people very much alarmed.

Sr. Jons's CHURCH .- The Rev. Mr. Jenns preached an eloquent sermon to a large congregation at St. John's Church last evening; he proposes to discuss the merits and demerits of Ritualism and anti-Ritualism, as laid down by the Church of England, on Sunday evening gest.

To-Monnow. - The steamer Sir James Donglas leaves at seven o'clock to-morrow morning for Nanaimo and the east coast. At ten o'clock the steamer North Pacific starts for Olympia and way ports on the Sound.

Picture Sale .- Messrs. Davies' large sale mence to-morrow, at 11, a. m., sharp. The can be had to-morrow morning early.

MEMBERS GATHERING .- Mesers. Smithe and Booth, representatives for the Cowichan held on Saturday evening.

"free gangway" will be given to the men on free gangway" will be given to the men on containing a large number of coils of fine in-been very far from surprising Canadian offibeard H.M.S. Scout on Xmas day, which will sulated wire. The difference between the slow Jack Tar to indulge in the festivities of

Snow .- The Metchosin, Sooke and Saanich hills are covered with the wintery mantle, directions. The transmitting instrument is The past few days we have been visited with a sharp frost, and the weather is delightful for sharp frost, and the

NANAMO AND COMIGNAN.—Several passen—transmission. The instruments are nicely gers arrived from these settlements on Saturday. Among the rest were Mesers. Morley, Anderson, Drinkwater, Miller, Bickersteth,

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[BY MAINLAND TELEGRAPH LINE.]

The Barthquake up Country.

Lyrrow, Dec. 15—Quite a heavy shock of earthquake was felt here last night at 9:45 o'clock. The vibration was north and south, and lasted about twenty-five seconds. A noise like the rumbling of a carriage preced-

ed the shock about one minute.

Sona CREEK, Dec. 15-Two distinct shocks

Yate, Dec. 15—Last evening at 9:43 an earthquake presented itself in rather an alarming manner by rattling doors, ringing to the square inch, throwing a compact stream some 150 feet high, and 200 feet horisontally. The couplings used for the new So infrequent are the visitations of these aose are also a great improvement upon those eruptions of the heavenly bodies in this vicinity, in fact never before, it is stated were felt bere, that all fled in consternation to the BUTE INLET SCRUEY .- The railway work of street, where they freely discussed the strange Michaud's corps and of Gamsby's was not phenomenon; fortunately more alarmed than completed when the Douglas arrived there injured. Two subsequent slight shocks, on Thursday last, to bring the men down, tervals of two or three minutes. Its course ad the steamer will have to make another appeared to be north-east to south-west

> O'HAMET (?) Dec. 15-Two distinct shocks at 9:45, and continued for about 25 seconds. preceded by a loud rumbling noise like the passing of a heavy wagon. The second one was slighter and only lasted about five seconds; this last one was accompanied by four or five loud explosions in the mountain

CLINTON, Dec. 15-A shock of earthquake was felt here at about 9:40, p. m., yesterday. The shock was so heavy as to waken persons The vibrations lasted about 45 seconds. At the lower end of town the ground is cracked for some distance. It occasioned consider able excitement and some alarm. During the afternoon previous to the shock the wires at times were so affected by magnetic cur-

rents as to render them useless. Thermometer last night 22° helow zero Weather to day clear and calm but very cold MATSOUL Dec. 15-Two distinct shocks of earthquake were felt bere last night. The first, which occurred at 9:45 was very severe, causing the houses to snake violently, and lasted for about 30 seconds. The vibrations were north and south. The second shock was less severe and lasted about five seconds, Weather clear and calm.

on the berth at San Francisco for this port and will sait on the 20th. Her improvements we are informed by telegraph, are nearly

THE telegraph line was down yesterday the earthquake from San Francisco, Portland,

The Death of Zanoli.

EDITOR STANDARD :- Your contemporary o this morning states that Giovanni Zanoli fell dead in the Adelphi, saloon, on Saturday night, from the effects of gambling, having sorry that such uncharitable statement should be sent forth to the world. Deceased was in possession of cash and could have commanded all he wished. Giovanni Zanoli was also an old pioneer of 1858, and was

Dec, 15th. A FRIEND OF DECRASED.

Revolution in Telegraphy.

MESSAGES SENT AND RECEIVED OVER THE SAME WIRE AND AT THE SAME MOMENT.

New inventions are brought before the pub-

lie day after day, but the latest and most remarkable and practical invention was shown to us yesterday by Mr. Toye in full operation in the office of the Montreal Telegraph Company, in this city. It has often been asked by some in this city and vicinity, about half- whether telegraph messages could be transsame moment, and has often been said to be au utter impossibility. The difficulty has at last been overcome by an ingenious American operator, named J. B. Stearns, of Boston, who has by several years of study and perseverance succeeded in overcoming what has his been supposed to be an impossibility.

Battalion. Each subsiters is responsible to the recimcers, is surewed persease, his Captain for his own Half-Company. Noncommissioned officers in like manner to subsiter a for their own sections.

The French, in days shortly preceding the late war, seeking to solve the problem of the late war, seeking to solve the problem of the made; and hold that in politics as in ordinary made; and hold that in politics as in ordinary made of fairness. au utter impossibility. The difficulty has at The instrument has just been brought into use on the telegraph lines to the United

States and its practicability tested and proved satisfactorily. The president and superin-tendents of the Montreal Telegraph Company having become convinced of its great utility at once ordered a set of the instruments, and now have them at work in their offices in and those at comparatively loose files, could Montreal and Toronto. The instrument can- live through an advance sgainst troops in Columbia. The real facts are briefly these. not be universally used, as it can only be worked on through lines on which there is no local business, such as for instance between Montreal and Toronto, Toronto and Chicago, Chicago and New York, and so on. The use of this invention increases the facilities of the Montreal Company twofold : for instance, of all paintings, engravings, etc., will com- if the company now had three or four through lines between Toronto and Montreal, by the mence to-morrow, at 11, a. m., sharp. The use of these instruments they would have deep. It would only have to deploy two double the facility, or an equivalent to six or companies. Standing either in column or eight lines. The instrument has now been in use in the Montreal Telegraph Co.'s office of two or three days and has performed its work in a most satisfactory manner. There are two instruments attached to a single wire mander who has had to handle ten, or even districts, and Mr. Hunter, M.P.P., Cariboo are two instruments attached to a single wire district, arrived in town on Saturday. A and worked by two operators, a sender and eight companies together, knows that it is no neeting of most of the members in town was receiver; the two being able to send and light task amidst noise and confusion, or even

receive at the same time, by the same wire high wind. and at each end of the line. This is brought Thus all INAS HOLIDAYS.—We understand that about by the addition to the other instru-free gapgway" will be given to the men on ments of a peculiar one called a "rheostat," new instrument and the old one is that on doubt we shall be glad to learn the details

the latter the wire round the magnet coils only one way; on the new instrument the magnet is wound with two wires, in opposite compesed of the ordinary key and a " sending sounder," fitted with flexible springs, which divert the electricity into the different channels desired, to accomplish tue double

mens of extraordinary ingenuity. the energetic superintendent of the Montreal line in this city, is always keenly alive to the

PROVINCIAL DISPATCHES By Glectric Telegraph.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY STANDARD. LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

SEATTER, Dec. 15-Last night, at about 20 minutes to 10 o'clock, the people of this place were suddenly startled by the heaviest earthquake felt so far north on the const as this, with the exception of the earthquake at San Francisco in 1865. We doubt whether so violent and long continued a shock has been felt for years on the entire coast. No damage was done, but our frame buildings swayed to and fro like a small craft at sea. There were three series of shocks; the first was of about twenty seconds duration, and the other two, soon after, of but a few seconds each. They seemed to proceed from the northeast to the southwest. We shall probably hear of its naving been experienced in other sections of the coast with much

There was a romor in town during the lat-ter part of last week, to the effect that the schooner Walter Raleigh had arrived all right in California, but we were anable to ascertain how the report originated, or to trace any confirmation of it; she is undoubt edly lost. In addition to the captain and his family and the crew, there were two men who took passage on mer at Presport for San Francisco. Their names are not known.
The committee of management of the Masquerade ball having concluded to award prizes for the best sustained male and female characters at the carnival on Christmas. members have purchased for the ladies' prize a neck chain and locket worth \$30, and for the gentlemen's prize a \$10 pair of sleeve.

a tactical unit. renders as take au interest in military matters that with capital at their command and the to know that this idea has been familiar to skill to guide it they will without doubt studious officers of the Dominion forces for shortly bring their great work to a successful more than three years.

tice is undoubtedly due to Col. Robertson than the one just brought to a close, so far Ross, the Adjutant General, by whose directions as immediate results are concerned, we think battalions under the almost independent com-mand of their respective Majors, during mand of their respective Majors, during of rich deposits on Harvey, the big strike of Vinhand the success of the tion my own regiment was worked by half. future developments will bear us out in the I also endeavored to illustrate it while in the Point on Lightning, the success of the temporary command of the 1st Ontario Rifles | Lane & Kurtz, and the renewed activity at Fort Garry in 1870-1, and my ideas were tally approved and endorsed by Col. Jarvis,

on his return from leave of absence. But even if the strong common sense, and rell known foresight of the Adjutant-General had not given us a clue to the coming idea, it could not have escaped numbers of Canadian officers whose minds have long been THE Prince Alfred will resume her place from every change of drill and tactics which

When a radical change in the principle of deployments appeared in the Field Exercise of 1867, there were not wanting Dominion officers, who said, (and published their speculations) "The revisers have struck the keynote of non-pivot drill, but they have not south of Seattle, and we are without news of carried out their idea to its legitimate con-

clusion. In the Red Book of 1870, their anticipa-

dmirably realised. of Half-Battalion Columns, became at once spparent to men who stadied tactics, and the development of the idea was assisted by the introduction of that formation as a section of Battilion-Drill in the new Field Exercise. It was also known that, in the Swiss system, which has many points of high excellence

the Half-Battalion is the tactical unit. The Prussian organization for the field is as follows : I speak only of infantry. The companies are 250 strong. The Captain is a mounted officer, and has four Lieutenants under bim. The Battalion consists of fou ompanies, under a Major. The regiment of three Battalions. Thus a regiment is in effect a brigade. The Battalions are reginents, and the companies are small Batta-

It is evident that such an organization presents no features of superiority to our own In fact it developed serious disadvantages in naturally became the tactical unit, and batnaturally became the tactical unit, and bat-talion commanders found that they exercised although friendly acts are too often and quickno control whatever over their companies in

sion of control and responsibility into halves they have lost, of the British Columbians, and fourths, so to speak. The Lt. Cot. com- Nova Scotians or New Brunswickers, for some mands. Each Major is responsible to him for the discipline and well-being of his own Half-Battalion. Each subaltern is responsible to favour of the Parificers, is shrewd perhaps,

best formation for columns of attack, favored the field organization of six companies to a truthfulness, and straightforwardness. The Battalion, which, on a front of "Double-Companies" gave a depth of six ranks to their

assaulting columns. It is now evident that this would be too It is now evident that this would be too deep, if indeed, any depth beyond two ranks, and those at comparatively loose files, could were regardless of the interests of British

If any greater depth be admissable anvwnere except in "second-line," four racks between San Francisco and British Columbia would be its extent. Our organization, which is in no way inferior in working to those of Prussia or France, lends itself naturally to a preference of eight companies to the Battalion in the field. The Half-Battalion on a front of two companies would stand four line, it can form square or oval with the

Thus all considerations pointed two years ago to the Half-Battalion as the tactical unit, and the military authorities at home have been very far from surprising Canadian offiindicated by the experience of the autumn manœuvres.

Novelties for Chaistmas and New Year — A very beautiful assortment of Fancy and useful Goods suited for presents, have been useful Goods suited for presents, have been the property of the Case is too easily make. received by Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, and known. will be ready for inspection in a few days. ALEXANDRE KID GLOVES .- A full assort-

ment of these justly celebrated Gloves arrived direct from Paris by the Idtho-for the

The Close of the Cariboo Mining

Season of 1872. The Cariboo Sentinel of a couple of week ace gives its usual comment upon the labors of the season just closed and speculates upon the chances in future. It write as follows: "And if in the present instanc FURTHER OF THE EARTHQUAKE.

The cannot point to any increase in the yield of the mines of this district as a proof of our material prosperity and an inducement for future prospecting, it is not because the mineral wealth of Cariboo is by any means exhausted, but arises from the fact that the shallow and more easily worked places are to a very great extent worked out, we have to a very great extent worked out, we have now to turn our attention to a somewhat different and certainly more expensive kind of mining,—seeking for auriferous deposits in the deep channels and beds of streams where the surface indications are of a nature to lead the prospector to believe that his efforts will meet with an adequate reward which necessarily involves a much larger outlay of money and a far greater exercise of energy, patience and perservance than we have been previously been accustomed to And we think we have good foundation for And we think we have good foundation for the opinion that in most cases where this kind of mining has been carried on in a business-like manner, that the result will eventually quite equal the expectations of those engaged in it. As an evidence that we are really in a transition state, when our new ventures have not yet realized our hopes, we may with some pride point to the really great prospecting operations that are going on throughout the district. On Antier, Cunningham, Harvey, and Lowhee Creeks the work being done with every prospect of success is of a character to command the greatest admiration for the skill and energy displayed by our hardy miners. On Lightning, the great hope of such a large proportion of our mining population, we have some half degen claims prospecting on a scale that four years since, had any one been sufficiently in advance of his time to have proposed, he would have been laughed at for his pains; and yet in those claims the progression. Military Matters.

Victoria, 12th Dec., 1872.

Editor Standard:—I observe in your issue

Proposed, he would have been laughed at for his pains; and yet in those claims the prospecting is about being brought to a successful issue, and many others now about starting, with the dearly bought experience of the others to guide them, may reasonably expect that they will attain the same result. It may not be uninteresting to such of your machinery and providing large pumps, so

more than three years.

The first reduction of the principle to practure we have had many more favorable set which the success of such enterprises wil give, together with the increased confidence in our mineral resources which will naturally arise from an augmented yield of gold, mak us of opinion that there is really a prosper ous future in store for the mining interest

Fishing in the Pacific Waters.

[From the Ottawa Herald,] It is rather amusing to find the leading or-gans of the so-called Reform party in this Province, after having abused British Colum-bia and the Columbians, up hill and down dale, now beginning to court their favours. At Commencement of Sale, They grudged and opposed Parliament guaranteeing the construction of a Pacific Railway In the Red Book of 1870, their anticipa-tions of further freedom from the shackles of the old pirot expectations were fully and the old pivot conventionalism were fully and the Eastern as to the Western side of the ninion. They opposed the granting to When, therefore, the great war of 1870 the Pacific Province anything like a reason provoked a full discussion of Prussian formaconstituencies and resources of that magnificent colony. How great a blunder that was politically, we, as independent spectators can readily judge, and is evidenced by the fact that all the representatives from British Columbia look with unconcealed distrust on the Reformers of Ontario, and regard them as implacable political enemies. The Reformers

now see their error and are endeavouring to repair it ; but it is almost too late. They have most unwisely treated the people of the other Provinces with scant consideration, as if they thought that Ontario was the Duminion and the other Provinces trifling fragments of territory annexed to it; and as if they believed they could secure the Government of the Dominion without aid from the sisterProvinces. It is well for their own sakes that they have discovered their mistake. The Domini never be governed by the majority of one Prothe campaign of Sadowa, where the company and are now fishing for the good will of Britly forgotten, injuries and insults are long in The basis of our organization is the divitime. It will take years.

The form in which they are now seeking the truthfulness, and straightforwardness. The Toronto organ of the opposition gives a distorted account of the arrangement made for carrying the mails between Victoria and San By the terms of union the Dominion Government agreed to provide for a fortnightly mail Without delay the Post Office authorities advertised both in the United States and the Dominion for tenders. Only two tenders were received; one from the proprietors of the "Prince Alfred" offering to do the work for \$2,000 a trip or \$52,000 per annum; the other from parties in the United States, who asked considerably over \$100,000 a year. It was out of the question that the latter should be accepted, as it would swallow up vastly more than the revenue derived from the service. Had it been accepted the government would have been charged, and justly charged with extravagance. No option, therefore, was left but to accept the tender of the "Prince Alfred." And even this was accepted for the

shortest time that could be agreed upon, viz: three years. At the end of that period, it is to be hoped that a more suitable vessel will be tendered for the service. The "Prince Alfred" is slow, but she does the work; and ce of the autumn available. In view of this plain statement G. W. G. of facts, it will not do for the Reformers to say to the British Columbians, as they are

Memory presides over the past. Fell's rich temple hung with glorious trophies, and lined with tombs, but Fell's Coffee has but and Mrs. Gibson.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Williams was largely attended yesterday afternoon. The largely attended yesterday afternoon. The ceremony of burial was conducted at Christ Church.

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ner, Beeton and Tunetall will receive a very New Year's presents; and real Seal Skin and other Jackets, of latest styles.

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Miscellaneous Advertisements. In the Legislative Assembly.

SESSION 1872-1873. OTICE 18. HERBSY GIVEN that an application will be made to the Legislative Assumbly during the session next enabing the date of this notice, for leave to bring in a bill to enable. Messre, Dunamnir, Diggle & Go., the owners of the Wellington Colliery situated near Departure Bay on the East coast of Vancouverleland to acquire a strip of land sixty-six feet wide and extending from their mins to the shore of Departure and extending from their mins to the shore of Departure and extending from their mins to the shore of Departure and extending from their mins to the shore of Departure and extending from their mins to the shore of Departure and extending from their mins to the shore of Departure and extending from their mins to the shore of Departure and extending from their mins to the shore of Departure and the shore of Dep

and extending from their mine to the shore of Departure Bay aforesaid, for the purpose of building a Railway or Tramroad thereon, for the conveyance of coal from the mine to the place of shipment. It is a so proposed that the said bill shall enable the said Mesers. Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co. to acquire a Block of Land containing. Fire acres as the shore serminus of the said strip of land, for the erection of Coal Sheds, etc. for the purposes of the basiness of the said mine.

A Diagram of the proposed Railway or Tramroad will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th Novemb r, instant, with the Clerk of the Beach at Napalmb, together with a copy of the British Columbia Gazette containing this notice.

12th November, 1872. -EDWIN JOHNSON, Solicitor for Meesrs. Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co.

Notice.

SWANSON DECEASED. THE EXECUTORS Messrs. W. A. Elliott and J. Judson Young, request that all claims against L J. Jurson Young, request that all claims against he estate may be delivered, and all delts due to the state may be puid to the undersigned.

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Notice of Dissolution. WE THE UNDERSIGNED have this day dissolved by mutual consent, the pa tnership carried on heretofore as the firm of Robertson E Farr. Blacksmiths and Wagon Makers, in Victoria, V. b. B. G. W. A. Robertson to collect all debts and pay all mapfil. Victoria Nov. 21st, 1872.

Queen Charlotte Coal Mining Co-Limited.

OTICE IS HEREBY GLVEN that a dividend of 10 per cent, will be paid to the creditors
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and Trounce alley, Victoria, on and after the 18th inst.
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HERBERT GASTON, A Benefit of the Control of the Contro Vetoria, Nov. 12th, 1672.

The Boomerang Inn has been thoroughly refurnished and fitted up at a great extense by Mr. Smith, and he hopes that by drict attents no Uniforms, and his nut out endeavors to accomodate the public, he may merit a continuance of that partonage which was always accorded to his predictors. ALPARTIES INDESTED to the estate of the late. Joseph L. Smith are requested to make immediate poyments all biller-emaining timpelious the lat January, 1873, will be placed in Court for collection, and all parties having a singularity the estate will please send them to the undersigned for payment.

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CANADA.

A PROCLAMATION. J. F. McCaricar, WHE! EAS a Bill in-Attorney-Genera. Untuled "An Act to amend the Qualification and Registration of Voters Act. 1872." was reserved for the con-sideration of His Excellency the Governor Ceneral in Council

NOW KNOW YE, that said Bill having been laid before the Governor General in Conneil, His Excellency has been pleased to ascent to he same, and the said Act is now in force ordingly.

IN TASTIMONY WHEREOF, we have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITHESS the Honorable Joseph William TRUTCH. Lieutenant-Governor of our said Pro-vince of British Columbiai, in Our Ony of Victoriu, in Our anid Province, thir 26:fi day of October, in the year of tour L rd one thou and eight hunpred and sevent two, and in the thirty-sixth year four Reign. Command.

A ROCKE POBERTSON. Provincial Secretary

PARLIC NOTIC .

BEARAS by a Notice, under date of A. WALKEN. Chief Commissioner of Land-ad Works, Tenders for the construction of a Graving Dock, at E-quimalt, were invited to to sent in, addressed to the Chief Commisoner of Lands and Works, on or before

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the time r sending in such Tenders has been and is hereby ex ended until noon of the 21st December next.

By Command. B. W. PEARSE.

Surveyor General. Lands and Works Department, Victoria, 19th September, 1872. se23

PROCLAM TION.

[L.S.] JOSEPH W. TRUTCH. CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. ICTO! IA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c. o Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parila-

ment, of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, on Friday, the Eleventh day of Uctob-r next, to have been commenced and held and every of you, - GREETING. A PROCLAMATION. J. F McChright, W HEREAS the meet Attorney-General. Wing of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Friday, the

Bleventh day of October next, at which time at Our City of Victoria, you were held au constrained to appear : NOW KNOW YE that for divers couses eration the ease and convenience of Our log ing subjects, We have thought fit, by and

you, and each of you, of your attendance at by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on TUESDAY, the SEVENTEENTH day of the month of DECEMBER next you meet Us in Our Legislature, or Parliament, of the said Province, at Our City of Victoria for the DISPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act, and conclude upon those things which in Our Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, by the Common Council of Our said Province may, by the favor of God be ordained. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have caus-

these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Our said Pro vince to he hereunto affixed : WITNESS. the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH Lientenant-Governor of Our said Pro vince, in Our City of Victoria in Our sain Province, this Eighteenth-day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hun dred and seventy-two and in the thirty-sixth year of Our Reign. By Command

RICHARD WOODS. Registrar Supreme Court.

Notice.

COURT OF GENERAL ASSIZE ANI G . OL Delivery and of . is: Prine, with e be dat each of the undermentionedpines s follows:

Nanaimo-Wednesday 4th December; New Westminster-Thursday, 12th Decem

Dated Victoria, 9th November, 1872. By Command, A. ROCKE ROBERTSON. Provincial Secretary

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. 7th November, 1871

Its Excellency the LIEUTSANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to place the wing gentlemen on the Commission of the Pr vince of Buttsh Columbia; RIGINALD HEBER PIDCOCK, REQ., of Com. X: ROBERT CAMERON COLEMAN, Beq of Comox BENJAMIN DOUGLAS. Rsq., of Yale. By Command.
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